

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

KOKUBUN et al

Serial No.:

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For: OPTICAL WAVEGUIDE AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE SAME

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Please amend the captioned application as follows: